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We wish all

A HAPPY NEW YEAR

and we desire to thank the public for their very liberal patronage during the past year.

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DEALINGS WE HOPE
FOR A CONTINUANCE
OF THE SAME. : : :

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for an announcement of our
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CARLSTADT MAN INVENTS WONDER- FUL MACHINE

Last Saturday the editor of this paper received a surprise that almost shocked his newspaper acquaintances. He was informed that right here in our own little busy burg was the completed model of a machine that when put on the market as a power producing instrument will revolutionize the modern motive power.

We were invited to see this wonderful invention at the house of a popular citizen who is the inventor. It is an idea as our opinion as well as our excitement that in the machine is a wonderful idea, the inventor. Think how revolutionary it would seem to be able by a simple twist of the wrist to increase one horsepower to 100 horsepower. That is part of the idea. For demonstration purposes the inventor the other day raised power by the model appliance from 2 horse to 150 horse power.

Every one of its merits preliminary to securing the patent rights in Canada and the world have been ascertained. They were carried on in the presence of experts. The patent powers have not yet returned. The retention of the machine of 150 horsepower must be withheld but within three months for a further announcement. Numerous offers have been received already by the inventor for his idea. To give an idea of the offer he has received the other day a man offered a million dollars, others \$500,000 for a quarter interest in the Canadian sale.

Carlstadt has every reason to be proud from over the invention that was made right in our midst.

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. C. Taylor are leaving for a short trip to the coast. Mr. and Mrs. C. Taylor are leaving for a short trip to the coast.

We regret to state that Master Charles Laird is suffering from a severe attack of croup.

There were several brides and bridesmaids in Carlstadt on Xmas day. May their troubles be small.

Marion A. Phelps, M.B. of Bashaw Alta. is spending his Xmas vacation at the home of his sister, Mrs. W. H. Hillard, Webedale.

The special Xmas church rendered by the Methodist church choir on Sunday evening was many excellent from the large audience present.

The Carlstadt Orchestra will play at a dance in Seven Persons on New Year's eve and at the Adanac Club house on New Year's night.

W. D. Mackay, of the Carlstadt News, who has been spending the winter on his claim north of Brooks, is back at the desk this week, and will remain for Xmas.

Rev. J. E. Clydale was the real guest of a Xmas present worth while when Mr. L. H. McKinnon presented him with a valuable Plymouth Rock Broomer to add to his collection.

Rollard & Hegy, Carlstadt, up-to-date implement dealers, are the latest to purchase a new touring car, the Buick. It is a thing of beauty and a joy forever. Rollard & Hegy brought the car back from Calgary last Sunday.

The Carlstadt Athletic Club, practising diligently in the Woodlawn hall preparatory to putting on an exhibition in some neighboring town, made the first town visited, will be Bassano.

Mr. Martin Stubbins, wine host at the "Artistic" Hotel, served a sumptuous dinner for Xmas 1912. The special occasion menu cards also added cheer to the day. They were the work of the Carlstadt News and we point to them with a certain amount of pride. Blanchard, M. Johnson finished the menu for the occasion.

Among those who became subscribers last week to the Carlstadt News were: Alfred Staudt, Vancouver, B. C.; Mr. A. L. O'Brien, Tide Lake, B. C.; Hankel, Tide Lake P.O.; A. B. Prosser, Hinton; C. G. Taylor, Carlstadt; Andy Swanson, Carlstadt; H. B. Geron, Carlstadt. Many remittances were received. Have you sent yours?

DECEASED.

On Monday afternoon the town was shocked to hear of the sudden death of William Larsen, from pneumonia. He had been ill for only a few days, being confined to bed in a room at the rear of the Howatt harness shop. On Monday his condition became so serious that Dr. McEwen was called. It is pronounced the unfortunate man expired at 4.30 p.m. Mr. Larsen passed away.

The late Mr. Larsen was 47 years of age, and is survived by a wife and two children. The funeral service took place on Christmas day to the Carlstadt cemetery. Rev. Michaelson, of Irvine, conducted the service and A. J. Drummond acted as funeral director.

C. G. Taylor for several months the obliging and efficient operator at the C. P. R. depot here, is leaving for Medicine Hat soon to engage in the real estate business with H. D. MacRitchie. The firm will shortly carry an announcement in these columns.

L. M. Cole, of Maryfield, Sask., is a guest of his son, Mr. A. Cole, for a few weeks.

F. F. Rowatt spent a couple of days last week in Seven Persons and the town.

LOCATIONS POINT

TO ANOTHER BANK FOR CARLSTADT.

The News is informed that a petition is being circulated among the farmers of the north that will undoubtedly lead to the establishment of a new branch bank in Carlstadt. The petition has already over 100 names and it is the intention of the promoters to circulate the same among the residents of the town. When completed the petition will be sent probably to the Superintendent of branches of the mercantile bank in Canada. A few weeks ago a representative of another of Canada's strong financial institutions was in town looking over the financial situation here. The petition is now in the hands of the Superintendent of branches of the mercantile bank in Canada. A few weeks ago a representative of another of Canada's strong financial institutions was in town looking over the financial situation here. The petition is now in the hands of the Superintendent of branches of the mercantile bank in Canada.

Cecil Duff, secretary to the C. P. R. divisional agent in the Calgary district, was in Carlstadt on Saturday. He has filed on a half section of home stead land near here and will take up his residence in the spring. Consider that Mr. Wet blanket.

N.A.T.R.I.E.D.

On Christmas morning at the Methodist parsonage, was solemnized the marriage of Miss Minnie E. Grehning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Grehning, to Clifford E. Kurts, of Hazelton, North Dakota. Rev. F. E. Clydale performed the ceremony. The bride was attended by Miss Laura Ames, of Carlstadt, and Francis Grehning, brother of the bride, acted as best man. The last wishes of a host of friends grouping them to their new home in Hazelton.

English Church Services

Christmas communion, December 29th, at 10 A.M. All those who have been confirmed are invited to be present.

There will be the usual service at 8.30 p.m., when the Christmas hymns will be sung. Freely welcome.

Lost—A gent's folding pocket-book containing sum of money, between Carlstadt and Hinton, last week.—Finder please notify Carlstadt News.

To My Customers

Owing to the condition of the money market at the present time, and the price of grain being so low, and collections slow, it becomes necessary for me to make the announcement that I must put my business on a

CASH BASIS

to commence at once. This is not my wish—but in order to protect myself I am compelled to take this stand. Please do not ask me for credit, as it grieves me more to turn you down than it does you to ask.

I hope that you will look at this in the same light in which it is written, and govern yourself accordingly.

A. J. Drummond

FINLAY & COMPANY

Wish a Merry Christmas

and

A Prosperous New Year

to All.

Customers can get calendars by calling at the office.

C. H. WAGNER, Manager

SCOTT'S

are actually weak, run-down—they are slowly deteriorating—they need strength and nourishment for body and brain.

Scott's Emulsion corrects nervousness—it is essentially a food—a concentrated, nourishing, curative food to restore the healthy action of body cells, fortify the blood, sharpen the appetite, make strength, health, energy and vigor.

As pure as milk, it is readily assimilated—nourishes every organ and every tissue. Physicians everywhere recommend Scott's Emulsion with absolute confidence in its beneficial results. Don't wait—start now, but insist on SCOTT'S.

No alcohol or drugs.

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CRIMINAL FOR 52 YEARS

Old Woman Lives on Her Wit and Wits

In Paris, a very extraordinary old woman of 70 years, who calls herself Mme. Augustin, but whose real name is Helene Bismarck, was arrested by the Paris Police, in connection with the case of a man named Augustin. She has been an invalid for years and has drifted about in Paris in motels and before doctors were invited, in carriages, obtaining small sums of money by false promises and working eight hours every day at the business.

Mme. Augustin has been a criminal for fifty-two years. Her method was to drive up to small shops in different corners of the town, make a small purchase, and then, instead of paying, borrow as much money as she thought she could get, because she had come out without her purse.

Novel in a Nutshell
Nicomedes Mendes who was the former chief executioner of Spain, has died at Barcelona, from grief at the death of his daughter, who never recovered from a nervous ailment caused by being abandoned by her sweetheart when he became the master of her father's execution.

No Size to It
He is a big man—in his own opinion. Don't see how that could be.

Never thought he had the capacity to carry an opinion of any dimension.

Obedient Orders
I thought I told you not to cut your hair with my razor, thought I was exasperated husband who was trying to lose a few of his whiskers.

Well, it feels that way. I did open a can of tomatoes with your razor. You told me to do it.

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PEER WHO ROUGHED IT

Earl of Hardwicke Once Worked as a Miner

The Earl of Hardwicke, informed the House of Lords recently that he had worked underground for two years as a miner in Canada. He would hold this title of nobility in preference to the others which he possesses, but for the fact that his greatest-grandfather, Lord Chancellor Hardwicke, on his deathbed, had authenticated the nobility of the peerage and had placed his son on his elevation to the Woolsack. The son who was to be the son of Lord Chancellor Hardwicke, he obtained his position to reach some status as his father, but he never received his appointment until three days. The present peer is not the first of his family to have seen the rough side of life. His father who died in

Novel Swindle Worked by Thieves on Their Too Confiding Victims

Frans Kugler, resident of Berlin, a retired druggist, while walking along the banks of the Rhine, near Cologne, was victimized in a curious way by sharpers.

On arriving at a crossing, Herr Kugler was stopped by two men in the act of crossing a young and elegantly dressed woman.

One of the men, who was Herr Kugler, was unable to interfere, but he counted softly, and the men took to their heels.

When he was sufficiently threatened by the young woman, a well-dressed stranger emerged from behind a building, and stating that he was the manager of a cinematograph company, he asked Herr Kugler for the appropriate price he had taken in the little shop.

He then proposed to Herr Kugler should join the company as a cinematograph actor.

Herr Kugler accepted, and soon after it was his turn to be attacked and robbed by the robbers. Accordingly, he allowed himself to be deprived of his watch and chain, his purse, and his pocket book, after which he was taken to a room and detained.

On returning and sinning, he was cured of his illness by the answer to his cries he discovered that he had been duped.

No Dream
Suddenly, said the man with a three days' growth of beard and an out of control mind, I found myself falling 60,000 feet into the depths of a hot bottom pit.

No; just settling from under a corner in what.

I was cured of Rheumatic Gout by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

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Lakefield, Que., Oct. 9, 1907.

Ideal Gift Party
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Schoolmaster as Mayor
Recently six days leave absence has been granted by the London county council to Mr. Webb, a headmaster, that he may attend a meeting as mayor of Chelsea during the year.

Hopless Cases
Speak gently, it is better far. But with some men you know You throw a brick to turn the trick. That kind of argument you pick. For it is like this know.

It will travel faster than the truth, but it will not be the first to arrive at the destination, because it must double on its tracks so often.

Irrigation is more profitable when applied to the soil than to the throat.

Between Friends
St. Paul and St. Peter were strolling over the stones of the Apian way, and came to a tavern. St. Peter, who was well known to the tavern, went in to buy some wine to take with him for the journey.

St. Paul was surprised and exclaimed: "That's a wonderful throw! But all miracles don't go in a friendly game."

One Man Who Came Back
Two men were discussing the Jeffries-Johnson fight, and one of them said: "I've the old story—they never come back."

Except Elmer Arden, replied the other, and he had to go away again.

The man who waits for opportunity to knock finds the waiting good.

Woman's Best Help
To the good health which comes from regular action of the organs of digestion and elimination—to freedom from pain and suffering—to physical grace and beauty—is the harmless, vegetable remedy

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Kind everywhere, in large doses.

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Your Liver is Clogged up

That's Why You're Tired—Out of Sorts—Have no Appetite

There's a Little Liver Pills

They do it

Cure Constipation

Biliousness, Indigestion, and Sick Headache

Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price

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KAISER IS ASKED TO ACT AS PEACEMAKER

Rulers of Austria and Turkey Appeal for His Friendly Intervention

From Berlin, the German emperor is apparently being intensely urged by the Austrian emperor, his ally, and by the Turkish emperor, his ally, to act as a peacemaker in the Balkans. The emperor is asked to act as a peacemaker in the Balkans. The emperor is asked to act as a peacemaker in the Balkans.

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Comment.

"Dad, do you think we'll make a winning?" said a 11-year-old boy to his father, over on the south side this other day.

That's the spirit of young Canada on the homesteads in the west. They say "we" and talk about "winning."

Premier Roblin of Manitoba says he is a "tick man." The doctors in the old country forbid this valiant old knight reading the papers on account of his heart. They were wise doctors. He might have read some of those kind things the Liberal papers have been saying about his tactics in the Macdonald election.

There is considerable talk in the "know" circle, that a general election is imminent on the naval question. An election without a redistribution of seats in the West would be utter folly. With another appeal to the "British Born," the over-represented east would completely choke the vote of the groggy under-represented West. Hugh Guthrie, the Liberal member, gave the government some uneasy moments when he challenged them on behalf of the Liberal party to have a redistribution and let the people vote on the question. Isn't that a fair proposal?

Here's a couple of Bill Laird's of Carleton Place. The other day he was playing a gentleman from Wexham on the other day, and at the same time, Billy Johnston was doing about on the piano. "Who is the guy on the piano?" said he Wexham.

"Oh, he plays in the theatre here," said Bill. The other day a lady took some calls into Bill to be sent to the Calgary Laundry. When she called for them on the following Friday, of course, they weren't there. She asked out slippery friend the reason. "Well, you see, Madam," said Billy "there was a natural gas explosion in the laundry at Calgary and they hadn't got the laundry back yet."

GRAIN GROWERS.

Last Friday evening in Wexham's hall, Mr. Housman, of Strathmore, dressed over one hundred members of the local farmers' union on the seeds and aims of the Grain Growers Grain Co., and the Grain Growers' Guide, the official organ of the association. F. E. McBride, of Carleton Place, the local union, presided. Mr. Housman, while advanced in years, is conversant with the history of many farmers' organizations, past and present, and gave a lucid and appreciative talk. According to Mr. Housman, the farmers care for the life he has to suffer, as a solid organization on a co-operation basis. He attacked strongly machine companies, who sell the farmer worthless machinery and took everything he owned. Some humor was injected into the proceedings by a denial on the part of our old friend, W. J. Sheedy, who declared explicitly, but he ever said a certain make of "man separator." Mr. Sheedy treated that W. R. Horle was the gull's party. But the latter gentleman was attached to an eyeglass at the time of his announcement.

The speaker of the evening took a nip at the Bennett-Aiken elevator combine.

POLONA PONDERINGS

The Misses Jess and Lily McIntosh, Mr. D. McCreach, of Housman, Mr. Gray Asher, of Carleton Place, and Mr. Winfield Foxton of Polona took tea with Mr. C. A. Wallace and his sister Sunday evening.

Miss Ayers who has been quite sick is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Monahan called on C. A. Wall and sister 1st Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Osterman were in Carlstadt last Friday.

Mr. L. S. Furey and Winfield Foxton were among the Carlstadt callers last week.

Mr. J. H. Gray and wife left Monday for an extended trip through Idaho, Washington and Missouri. They expect to be gone for about three months. They were accompanied by their son Charlie Gray and family.

Mr. Clint Coffey was suddenly called to Champlain, Alta., to attend the funeral of his sister which was held at that place on Monday.

Mr. Cecil Mills is reported quite well.

The party held at C. A. Wallace's on Tuesday night was largely attended, there being about seventy-five guests present. The evening was spent in dancing and playing cards. At midnight refreshments were served. They danced until the wee small hours of the morning when every one departed for their several homes all reporting having had a most enjoyable time.

The many friends of Alfred Venes are glad to know that he was elected by a large majority for one of the five councillors and they feel sure that Mr. Venes is well qualified for that position and will do his best to serve the people.

Mr. Winfield Foxton was visiting at Housman last Thursday evening. I wonder where?

Mr. and Mrs. Clark and family left Friday for Manitoba where they are now spending the winter.

Mr. Andy Lane, of Housman, called on Nuts Mulligan last Sunday.

Mr. A. F. McIntosh, of Housman, was calling on friends at Polona on Monday.

Mr. Harry Walker, of Rockville, who is visiting with Rex Lucas called on the McIntoshes at Housman on Sunday.

An Exciting Runaway

While returning home from Housman on Thursday, Mrs. J. Zimmerman and daughter Bertha had a bad accident which might have been more serious. As Mrs. Zimmerman got out to open the gate leading home to drive through the horse started to run. Mrs. Zimmerman grabbed the bit of one of the horses and tried to hold them but after the horses had made two circles dragging her with them, the buggy was up in the air and the little girl to the ground. The horses got away and made for L. C. Turner's where they were run into a corral and caught. Charlie Wall's brother of Mrs. Zimmerman, saw the horses start and ran to give assistance, but the horse was so fast on him on the run. After they had been caught Mr. Wallace fastened up the line and jumped on one of the horses and started back to see how bad his water was hurt. The team started to run again and the neckyoke came off one horse and was dragging on the horse that Charlie was riding. Seeing the danger he was in the only thing left for him to do was to try and keep them in a circle which he did and soon getting them under his control. The buggy was completely demolished but the horses escaped with a few scratches. Mrs. Zimmerman was badly shaken up and took quite care after the shaking up she received. Parties who saw the whole affair say it was a miracle how they escaped being killed or at least some horses broken.

L. C. Hensel of Tide Lake, was in town Monday.

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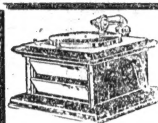
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NEWS OF THE DISTRICT

Poorless Postings

Hans G. Hansen our local chicken rancher has gone back to Wheatley, Ont. for his Christmas turkey dinner. Fred Olman is going to M.E. Feiring wife baby are back on the household after a summer in Medicine Hat. Martin had to add another wing to his already commodious residence.

Oscar Johnson has been back for some time. The extensive building operations he has been carrying on since, seems rather more elaborate than necessary for a bachelor's equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Gasson Mr. and Mrs. Victor Jansson Mrs. N.M. Brown and Mrs. J.L. Brown dropped in on our latest news week Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holm last Sunday. Though not permitted to participate and unable to speak at first hand we understand they had a fine time.

R.S. Trine visited Medicine Hat, Redcliff and Carlstadt last week. Mrs. J.L. Brown spent last Tuesday at Mrs. Gasson's.

Victor Jansson has gone to Glenora on some enough this time. He and Mrs. J.H. Gasson drove to Carlstadt on Monday last.

H.W. Wosman traded horses with Mrs. Al. Trueman of Hockin last week. (United Farmer). Is it not time to be coming alive again?

King Municipality will hold its first council meeting for 1913 at the residence of J. A. Lohd on Jan. 14.

SUFFIELD

The following program was given by the children of Suffield under the auspices of the Union Sunday school.

On to the Chorus "Can You Tell" Welcome Dialogue and Chorus. A Bear Hunt, by two boys. Reading, Grace Welliver. Recitation, Princess Wagon. Song, "Hallelujah for Dear old Fatherland."

Dialogue, The Best Grandma. Recitation, Vida Bess. Song by Corporal Corby. Recitation, Grace Welliver. Song, Tommy Wilkes. Gift, Dill and Chorus. Recitation by Corporal Corby. Recitation, Maiee Rance. Song, Tommy Wilkes. Yankee Doodle Chorus. Song by Grace and Leah Welliver.

Due, Mr. and Mrs. Corby. School song by Four Girls. Recitation, P. A. Welliver. Playlet, Learning Domestic Science.

Midnight, Mass Chorus. Recitation, Clifford Buckley. Chorus Christmas Carol. Recitation, Edward Wagon.

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Lost! Stolen! or Strayed! A Christmas story. Anyone finding a Jack Rabbit running away with same, please return to its owner.

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BLUE GRASS

Monday, December 23rd, Santa Claus visited Blue Grass school. A program was rendered by the school children which was well appreciated by the large audience. The program closed with a Mother Goose play in which the children acquitted themselves creditably. T. Monaghan presided as chairman.

After the program, the candles were lighted upon the prettily decked Christmas tree. Just as they shone forth brightly, Santa drove up with a jingle of bells. When the welcome had subsided, he distributed bags of candy to the children, and the presents from the tree.

Here is the program: Song by the school, "Sleigh Bells."

Recitation, Tena Benjamin. Recitation, Chancy Benjamin. Song, Quartette.

Recitation, Joyce Lohd. Recitation, Lela Ellis. Song, Gladys Benjamin. Stocking Drill, by 3 boys.

Song, by school, "Santa Claus." Recitation of Hans Lohd. Recitation, Laurel Benjamin. Song by Lela, Roy, and Walter Ellis.

Recitation by Vivian Benjamin. Recitation, Roy Ellis. Song of songs, "Joy Bells."

Recitation, Alton Benjamin. Recitation, Arthur Lohd. Drill by the Girls. Recitation, Walter Ellis. Recitation, Gladys Benjamin. Recitation, Ilean Benjamin. Song, by Miss N. G. Harris. Recitation, Mrs. M. Gray.

Recitation, Walter Ellis. Recitation, Miss V. Wilson. Mother Goose Play. Song by school, "Jolly Old Santa Claus."

"Goodnight Song," by Gladys Benjamin, Gladys Lohd, Alton Benjamin, and Laurel Benjamin. Refreshments were served, following the program.

All partridge home filled with the Christmas spirit.

The J. F. A. of Blue Grass are asked to attend a meeting at the school, Saturday January 4th in afternoon. Farmers, wake up to the many advantages received by attending these meetings.

Bachelors, come out from the shadows of the prison walls of your habitation, and enjoy a few minutes talk with your congenitors. Keep alive, don't hibernate.

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CHRISTMAS PROGRAM.

The following program was rendered at the Methodist church on Christmas eve, by the Sunday school children:

Hymn—Glory to God.
Prayer, Rev. F. E. Clydale.
Chorus, Going to Grandpa's for Christmas.
Recitation, "Teaching Bridget to Cook," Madeline Bean.
Recitation, Island Ball.
Recitation, Lavio Letch.
Christmas Candles, by the girls.
Recitation, Robert Cook.
Recitation, Sophia Kylo.
Flower Song.
Recitation, Henry Schlosser.
Recitation, Lucile Hall.
Chorus, Our Christmas Stockings.
Recitation, Edna Steed.
Recitation, Roy Asdland.
Recitation, Verena Schlosser.
Chorus, Ring Beautiful Bells.
Recitation, Oscar Swanby.
Recitation, Myrtle Russell.
Gymnastic Drill by the young ladies.
Recitation, Harold Letch.
Recitation, Clarence Asdland.
Recitation, Florence Stuart.
Recitation, Lizzie Root.
Recitation, Edna Armstrong.
Playlet and Song, Mother Goose and family.

Final Notice.

All those who have not as yet paid their village taxes are requested to do so at once, as all unpaid taxes must be reported to the Government as arrears.

Alfred Smalley of Vancouver was a visitor to Carlstadt last week. He will visit a short time in his old home in Wisconsin. Alf subscribed to the gji. before leaving.

Unlike some of our contemporaries the Carlstadt News is not given to exaggeration. Nor do we publish news items without substantiating them.

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School closed for the Xmas and New Year's vacation on Friday, and from now on to the next year it will be one round of continual delight for the kiddies.

Principal Conn is spending the vacation in Carleton.

Miss J. Walker, teacher in the Carlstadt School, is at her home in Medicine Hat, Ala.

Mrs. Good Housewife—Haw: you tried the superior Ruffell flour? For sale by West Grain Co., N. E. Stewart, Mgr.

Among the out of town guests who attended the dance in the Adenae Club on Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. W. Wise Tide Lake, A. J. O'Brien and wife Tide Lake, and Albert Lee.

The dance was the most successful of the series to date.

Estay—Cause to my place about a month ago, a white and black spotted steer, about 3 yrs old. Ours may have come by paying for his keep and this ad.—L. G. Hankel, Tide Lake, 21, 19, 10.

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Why Timber Cut in Winter is Better Than That Cut in Summer.

Timber cut in spring and in summer is not so durable as that cut in winter. The durability depends not only upon the greater or less decay, but also upon the presence of certain chemical constituents in the wood.

Thus a large proportion of various matter increases the durability, while the presence of easily soluble carbohydrate diminishes it considerably. During the growing season the wood of trees contains sulphuric acid and potassium, both of which are solvents of carbohydrates, starch, resins and gums. They are known to soften also the lignous tissue to a considerable degree.

During the summer months the wood of living trees contains eight times as much sulphuric acid and five times as much potassium as it does during the winter months. The presence of these two chemical substances during the summer season constitutes the chief factor in dissolving the natural preservatives within the wood and in preparing wood for the different grades of wood destroying fungi—Scientific American.

An Age of Great Gamblers.

The eighteenth century was the age of the great gamblers. On Feb. 4, 1772, there was a debate in the house of commons on the thirty-nine article, and it was noticed that Fox spoke very indifferently.

Honore Valpoie suggests an explanation. "He had sat up playing at cards at Almack's from Tuesday evening, the 4th till 5 in the afternoon of Wednesday, 5th. An hour before he had received £12,000 that he had lost; and by dinner, which was at 5 o'clock, he had ended losing £11,000. On the Thursday he spoke in the above debate, went to dinner at 11:20 at night, from there to White's, where he drank till 7 the next morning; there to Almack's, where he won £6,000, and between 7 and 8 in the afternoon he set out for Newmarket."

A Blade of Grass.

As an English writer has written: "Whenever you can find a single blade of grass, however small, there you stand face to face with the mystery of life and all the responsibilities of existence. It is of more interest than many of the stars, for, if astrology is false, some stars are ceaselessly burning, and therefore beautiful; but they are from a distance, life upon them in the sense in which we understand life is impossible. The roots of that humble blade of grass go down to the beginning of life in the world, and its life points to the sky. If you should chance to find a blade of grass withering in a rocky place carry it a little water for the sake of the thoughts that spring from it."

Horrible Examples.

Slang not only becomes English, but would English become slang. When Lauder was reading "Armstrong's" he wrote to John Forster that it was a great poem. "But there are a few lines on its surface." From that it is some distance to the contemporary "joke."

There are no flies on me.

There may be on you. A beetle or two. There are no flies on me. So when the poet Heiner complained "there is a wispel within my head" he little knew what a horrible future his metaphor was to see—Collier's.

For Appearance's Sake.

Heb suddenly waking at midnight—What in the world was that noise? Why, entering room—It's all right, dear. The people are coming home from the opera, and I slipped down and gave the front door a slam, so the neighbors would think we were there.—Boston Transcript.

Hereditary.

"Is genius hereditary?" asks a scientific journal. An editor replies: "We have not time to investigate the subject, but we are inclined to think that it is. At all events our youngsters are wonderfully smart."

Gold is proved with fire, friendship is need—Oshale.

A Troubled Conscience.

"I had a horrible dream last night." "What was it?" "I dreamed that I was in bed, and I was thinking of breakfast the other morning." "What was it?" asked the wife. "I dreamed that I was in purgatory and was made to do all the things I had told my friends I would do if I were in their places."

Logical Reasoning.

The law imposing a tax on lacholera had gone into effect. "Germans a little lacholera had appeared before the tax commission."

"The last married my fourth wife," he said. "I'm entitled to a divorce, sir!"—Exchange.

The Ideal.

It is in making endless addition to self, in the endless expansion of its powers, in endless growth in wisdom and beauty, that the spirit of the human race made its ideal. To reach that ideal culture is an indispensable aid, and that is the true value of culture.

One of These Questions.

"Pop, what is it now?" "Pop, did the dog star ever have the pepper tied to its tail?"—Pittsburg.

CHRISTMAS GUESTS

At B. A. Barnes': J. McMillan wife and daughter, of Red Deer, Ino. Bradford and wife, and son Russell, of Calgary.

At H. R. Bean's: Rev. and Mrs. F. E. Clydale, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Huff, F. J. Conn, H. S. Ketchum and W. D. Mackay.

At I. Armstrong's: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Armstrong and children, of Tully.

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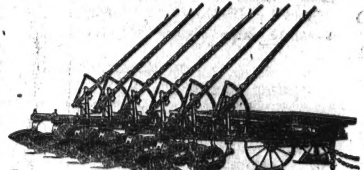
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